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TO : 1st CIG GP	FROM Security Group	DATE 14 Feb 57	COMMENT NO. 1
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Reference is made to Agent Report, pending case SEC-3078, IP-3-203230 (5b3), Subversive Periodicals (Rightist), Tokyo FO, paragraphs 36 and 37,

Paragraph 37's "revelation" that the Gokoku Seinen title block matches the handwriting of KODAMA Yoshio is so worded as to give the impression that this is information. However, the last article on page 3 of the 25 Jan 57 Gokoku, which was attached as an exhibit to paragraph 36, clearly states that the title block of the paper is a reproduction of KODAMA's handwriting.

Since paragraphs 36 and 37 contain information submitted on the same day (17) and since Subject, the source of paragraph 37, describes the title block of the paper, it appears very likely that Subject had access before submitting paragraph 37 to the article that states that the title block is a reproduction of KODAMA's handwriting.

For your information.

Regrading date cannot be predetermined.

FOR THE ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2

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Information contained herein has been furnished to the attention of Agent (Security). It is the opinion of the two Agent Reports in question that the source responsible for information contained in the Agent Report is giving the information he has submitted in good faith. It is also the opinion of the Agent Reports that KODAMA's handwriting is reproduced in the periodicals mentioned. The Agent Reports further state that information contained in the Agent Reports constitutes an attempt to conceal the true source of information. This information is being withheld from the Central Intelligence Agency because of the responsibilities of the Central Intelligence Agency. This information is being withheld from the Central Intelligence Agency because of the responsibilities of the Central Intelligence Agency.

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activity. The use of the word "revelation" in this instance might be misleading, thereby giving the impression that source submitted date was derived from "Gokoku Seinen" as unclassified information.

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